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SOURCE [REDACTED]21 September 19491. KAISERBERSDORF (P 49/X 48)

The kaserne was occupied by about a thousand troops wearing red-bordered, black epaulets and tank insignia. No motor vehicles were observed in operation.

Local residents reported that the troops (without vehicles) arrived by rail about two weeks earlier. The troops concerned were not yet stationed in KAISERBERSDORF in the spring of 1949.

21 September 194925X1X 2. MAUER near VIENNA (O 49/X 38)

About 60 troops with black-bordered red epaulets were observed in the building on "Malgasse". No motor vehicles were seen.

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About two hundred troops were quartered in the Dreher Castle. The kommandatura personnel numbered about 20 men wearing black-bordered red epaulets.

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This indicates that new recruits arrived in the KAISERBERSDORF military post of the 13th Gds Mecz Div in September 1949.

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